

**AMENDMENT**

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Page 1, amend lines 1-5 as follows:

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**TITLE OF THE INVENTION**

~~A method of forming a cell pattern on a surface, cellular networks and tissues based thereon~~

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**BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION**

Page 3, after line 9, add the following:

**OBJECTS AND SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION**

Page 7, after line 21, insert the following:

**BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS**

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examples and figures, although the invention is by no means limited thereto. In the figures:

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Fig. 2 shows the growth of neuritis on laminin tracks;

Fig. 3 shows the evaluation of a variety of extracellular matrix protein patterns; and

Fig. 4 shows the growth of neuronal processes.

**DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE INVENTION**

Page 9, lines 1-7:

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